

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Title: "System And Method For Automatically And Dynamically Optimizing Resources To Meet Business Objectives"

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AMENDMENT A

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Replacement Drawings are enclosed as Appendix A.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.